

# HOPKINSVILLE CREDITORS ASSOCIATION OF KY.

W. C. KING, State Manager, Headquarters Hotel Latham.

The Creditors Association is an association for the protection of those who extend credit against imposition.

The object of this association is for the improvement of credit conditions, educating the slow pay and indifferent to be prompt in the payment of their obligations.

The elimination of undesirable accounts of "The Dead Beat" and "Debt Dodger" class; also the tracing of "Skippers" and making credit easier and better for the deserving.

It is a fact that many honest people, through misfortune, are unable to pay their bills promptly. This class usually explain their circumstances to their creditors and obtain the time necessary to meet their obligations. But there is another class, who by glib talk, profuse promises and dashing show, that make it their business to systematically "beat" their way through life.

The Association has in their employ a staff of the most able bonded attorneys which possibly can be obtained. The Association makes it their business, when other means fail, to garnishee wages, obtain executions, advertise judgments, notes and accounts for sale.

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### FOOD CONTROL

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ed give to the government sweeping war time powers. The regulatory bill is designed to provide food distribution under direct government supervision and a provision added as an amendment extends an even more drastic government control over coal and other fuels, including the power to fix prices and authorizing government operation of mines. The survey bill is intended to encourage production and gives the government authority to keep up a continuous census of the amount of foodstuffs in the United States. It will be administered by the department of agriculture."

#### READY FOR IMMEDIATE WORK.

Both the food administration and the agriculture department have been ready since long before the bills were passed to go ahead with the work. The food administration has assembled a staff and already is enlisting the country's women in a household saving campaign.

Meanwhile the federal trade commission, authorized some time ago to conduct an investigation into food prices with special reference to anti-

trust law violations, is gathering information which it will turn over to the two agencies and to the department of justice.

The first move of the food administration will be to bring about changes in the system of distribution of wheat and the manufacture and sale of flour and bread. It will take up next the production of meat and dairy foods. The trade commission has investigators now in the flour mills and in the meat packing houses.

In his statement Mr. Hoover emphasizes the obligation the United States owes to its allies in supplying an abundance of food and urges reduced consumption by the American people.

"We have in our power abundance and in our waste," he says, "an ample supply to carry them and ourselves over this next winter without suffering. If we fail, it is because individual American citizens have failed to see and do this loyal national duty. We shall invite all classes and all trades to sign a volunteer pledge to co-operate with us in the undertaking and so become as much members of the food administration as we ourselves are."

South Dakota reports reports the first frost.

### HOW TO SEND MAIL TO SOLDIERS.

The proper method of address to a soldier is this: "John Smith, Company B, 24th Infantry, American Expeditionary Forces," and the name and address of the sender should in all cases be placed on the envelope or wrapper. In no case should the writer attempt to designate the location of the unit to which the soldier belongs.

Letters, newspapers and parcels may be sent at the domestic rates of postage to all soldiers and civilians connected with the expeditionary forces in Europe.

Parcel post will be sent at the 8th-zone rate of 12 cents a pound with a maximum weight limit of 20 pounds. This applies only to ordinary parcel post, no C. O. D., insured or registered packages handled.

Money orders may be sent at the domestic rate.

No money or valuables can be sent by registered mail.

The domestic rate of postage will apply on all letters from soldiers broad engaged in the present war. Such postage may be paid by the soldiers at field postoffices, or the postage will be collected from the recipient of the letter in this country at the

single domestic rate, if not prepaid abroad.

Magazines bearing the following official authorization:

#### "NOTICE TO READER"

"When you finish reading this magazine place a 1-cent stamp on this notice, hand same to any postal employee, and it will be placed in the hands of our soldiers or sailors at the front.

"No wrapper—no address.

"A. S. BURLISON,

"Postmaster General."

can be mailed at any postoffice, unaddressed and unwrapped by simply placing a 1-cent stamp on the magazine, regardless of its weight. Only magazines bearing the official notice and not addressed to any individual can receive this mailing privilege.

#### Poor Year For Women.

In Trigg county Mrs. W. N. Stice, of Cerulan, was defeated for School Superintendent by the incumbent. Down in Hickman county Miss May Atwood was defeated by Walter Brinkley, and in Ballard county two women candidates were defeated by the incumbent, J. E. Lane. Miss Mary Bailey was defeated in Webster county by T. W. Johnson.

### Women Insult President.

An indignant crowd at Washington jeered and hissed a suffragist and tore down a banner addressed to "Kaiser Wilson." The banner was displayed at the White House gate by a women's party suffragette picket.

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#### Hopkins County Gap.

Anxious to get the route of the Dixie Bee Line through Hopkins county built up in good shape as soon as possible, County Engineer Flanagan, Judge Will T. Mills and a committee from the southern end of the county will make a tour of inspection over the old road from Nortonville to Mannington in a few days.—Messenger

### MILK WAGON SMASHED.

Yesterday morning at about nine o'clock, on the corner of Ninth and Clay streets, Atkins' dairy wagon, drawn by his two gray ponies, was smashed in a runaway accident. The ponies became frightened and began to run. They dashed around the corner of Clay street into Ninth, turning the wagon over, breaking out the tongue and smashing the glass front. The milk bottles were scattered promiscuously over the scenery. The wagon was thrown directly in front of a car and many people thought that the car had run into the wagon, causing the accident.

### Cattle For Sale.

21 Head of Good Feeder Cattle, weighing average of 750 to 775 pounds. Apply to me at Howell. Phone No. 8-4 Edgote Exchange.

O. M. WILSON.

### Ice Cream Supper.

There will be an ice cream supper at the Westbrook school house on the Palmyra Pike, next Friday evening. Everybody invited.

## Special Tax Announcement By the Banks of Christian County!

Under the New Tax Law of Kentucky, Which Becomes Effective September 1st 1917

Money in Hand is Taxed 40 Cents on the Hundred Dollars; Money on Deposit in Bank is Taxed 10 Cents on the Hundred Dollars

In order to encourage our people to DEPOSIT THEIR MONEY in BANK, and not to hoard or withhold it from its usefulness in developing this community, we, the undersigned banks of Christian County, have by concerted action, decided to PAY THE TAX ON MONEY ON DEPOSIT by our customers, which also includes money in SAVING ACCOUNTS, and TIME CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT, on which we pay 3 per cent. interest

BANK OF CROFTON

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